


# COUNTY OF YORK

## MEMORANDUM

**DATE:** May 30, 2006 (BOS Mtg. 6/6/06)

**TO:** York County Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** James O. McReynolds, County Administrator 

**SUBJECT:** Homeland Security Grants

Under the 2005 State Homeland Security Program, the United States Department of Homeland Security, Security Office of Grants and Training, has made Homeland Security Grant Program funds available to localities. The Virginia Department of Emergency Management is coordinating the grant programs in Virginia. York County has been notified of the receipt of two of these grants totaling \$82,415. The intent of these grants, which do not require a local match, is to assist localities in developing or maintaining the necessary capabilities to respond to acts of terrorism. Expenditures under these grants are restricted to items specified by the Department of Homeland Security and listed in the 2005 Authorized Program Expenditures in the Program Guidance documents. If these grants are accepted, the proceeds will be used to procure a replacement tow vehicle and responder personal protective equipment as allowed under the terms of the grant programs.

I recommend adoption of proposed Resolution R06-85 to accept and appropriate \$82,415 from the Homeland Security Grant Program and to authorize the County Administrator to procure the items described above.

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Attachment

- Proposed Resolution R06-85